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Response under 37 C.F.R. 1.116  
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 Examining Group. 1733  
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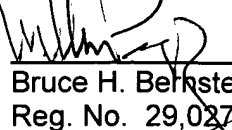
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